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FORBIDDEN TALES

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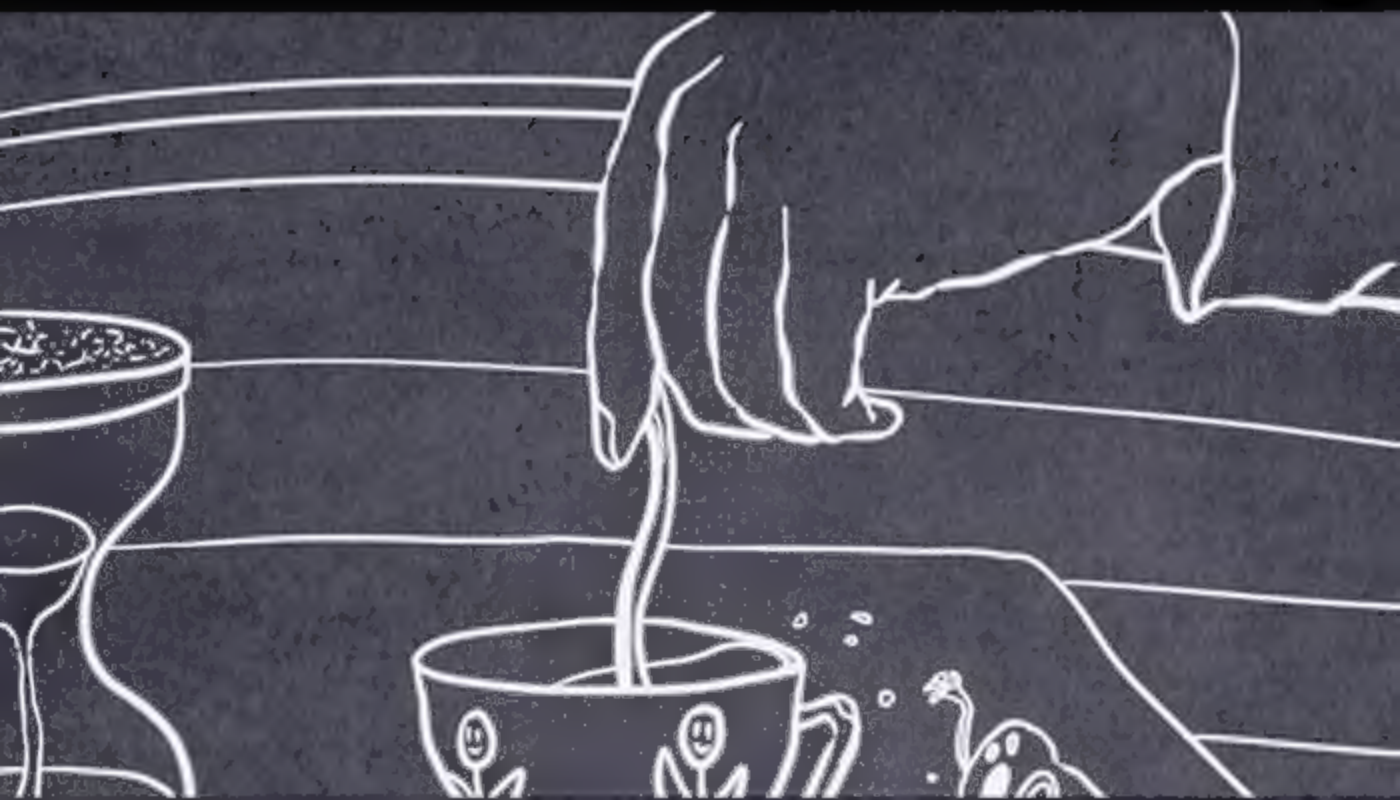
065. LUCID DREAMS (2)

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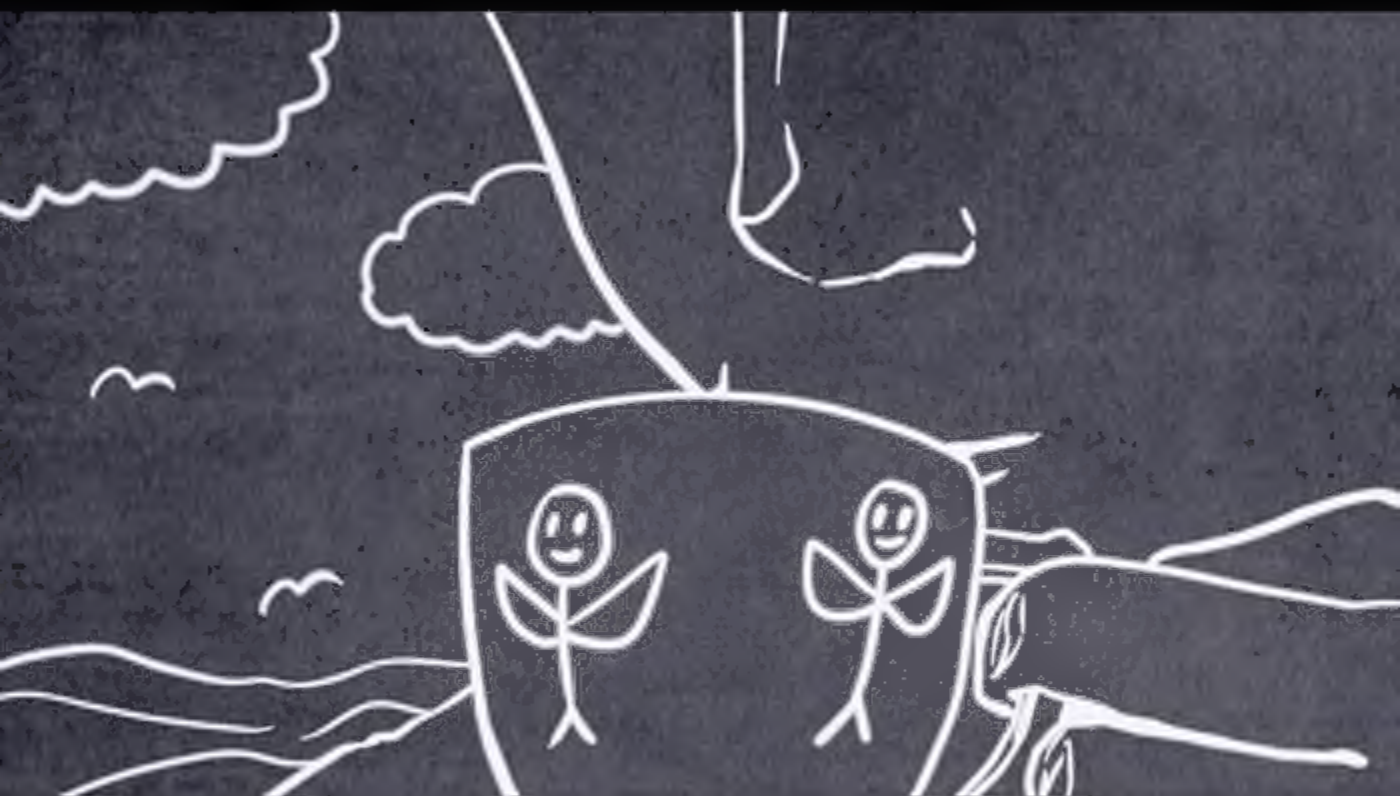
《DAY 1》

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LUCID DREAMS :
DREAMS IN WHICH YOU ARE SELF-AWARE
AND CAN CONTROL WHAT HAPPENS
IN THE DREAM.



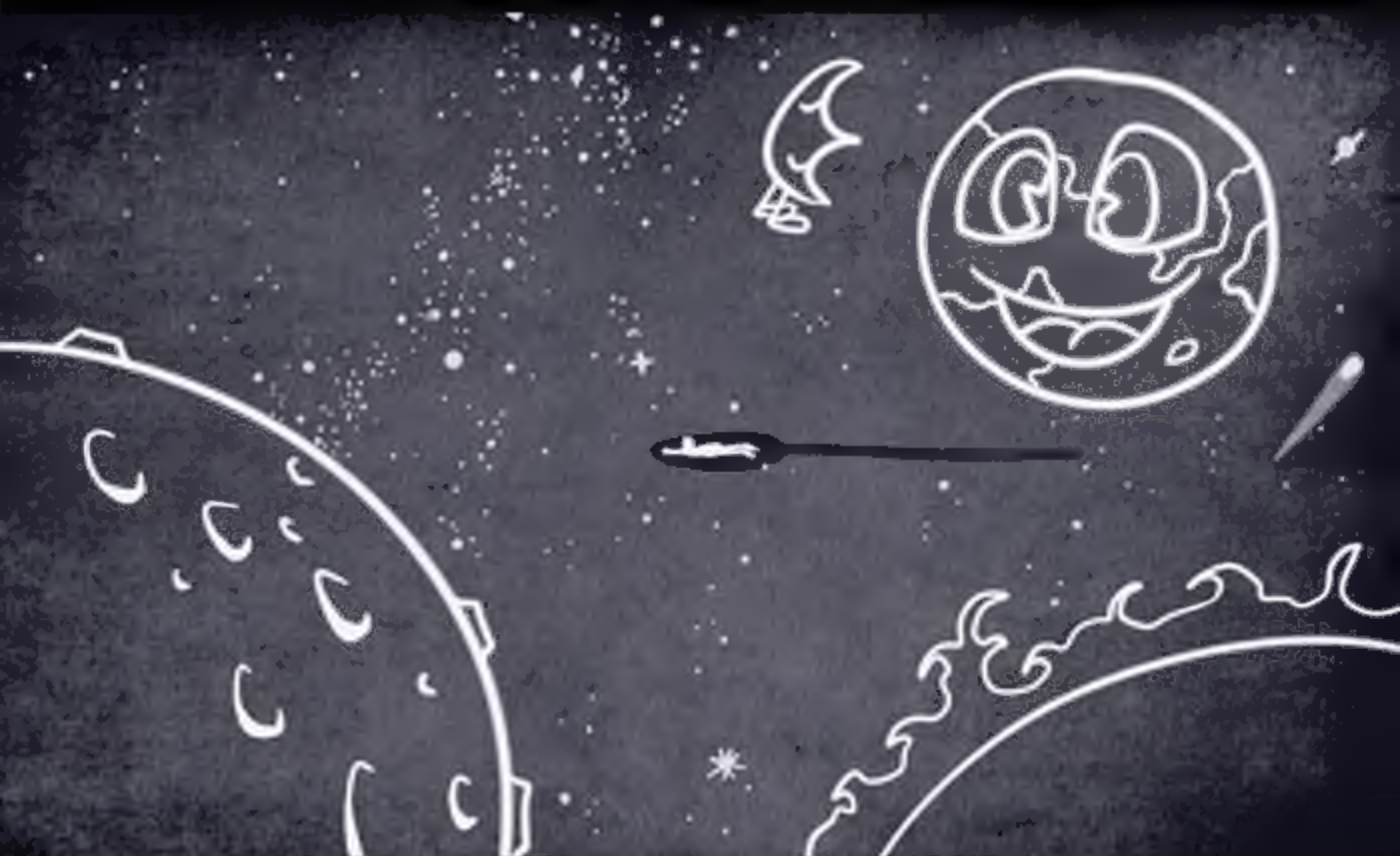
AT FIRST I THOUGHT IT WAS RIDICULOUS,
BUT AFTER SEEING A LOT OF CASES AND TRAINING,
I'M STARTING TO SEE HOW IT'S POSSIBLE.



CONTROLLING MY DREAMS IS
WAY MORE FUN THAN I EXPECTED.

《DAY 3》

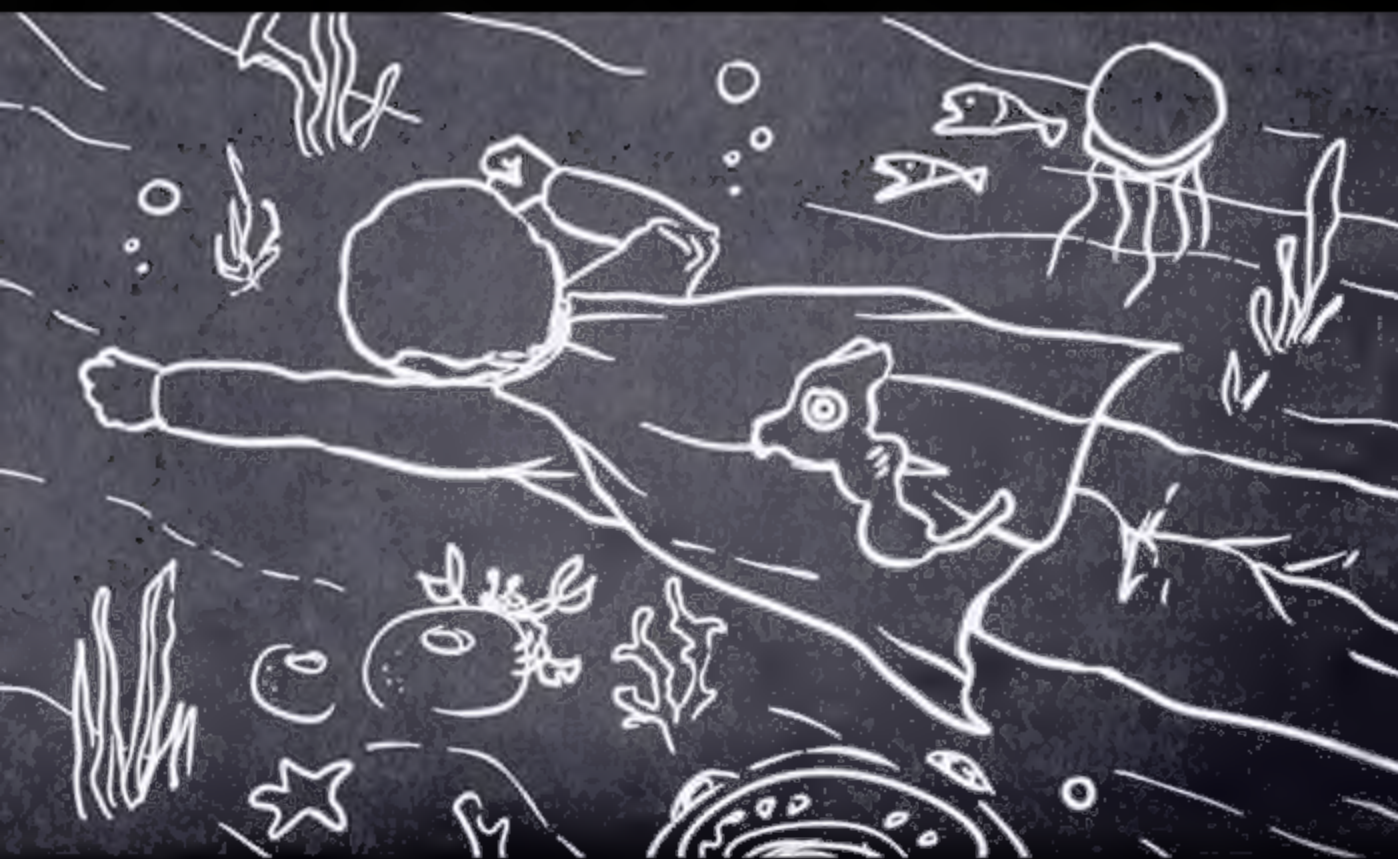
I'M GETTING MORE AND MORE
USED TO LUCID DREAMS.



I FLY ACROSS THE EUROPEAN CONTINENT,
TAKE A WALK BENEATH THE DEEP PACIFIC OCEAN,
AND HOP ON AND OFF ACROSS THE GALAXY.



LAST NIGHT,
I ONCE AGAIN FOCUSED MY MIND
ON THE DREAM THAT I WANTED.



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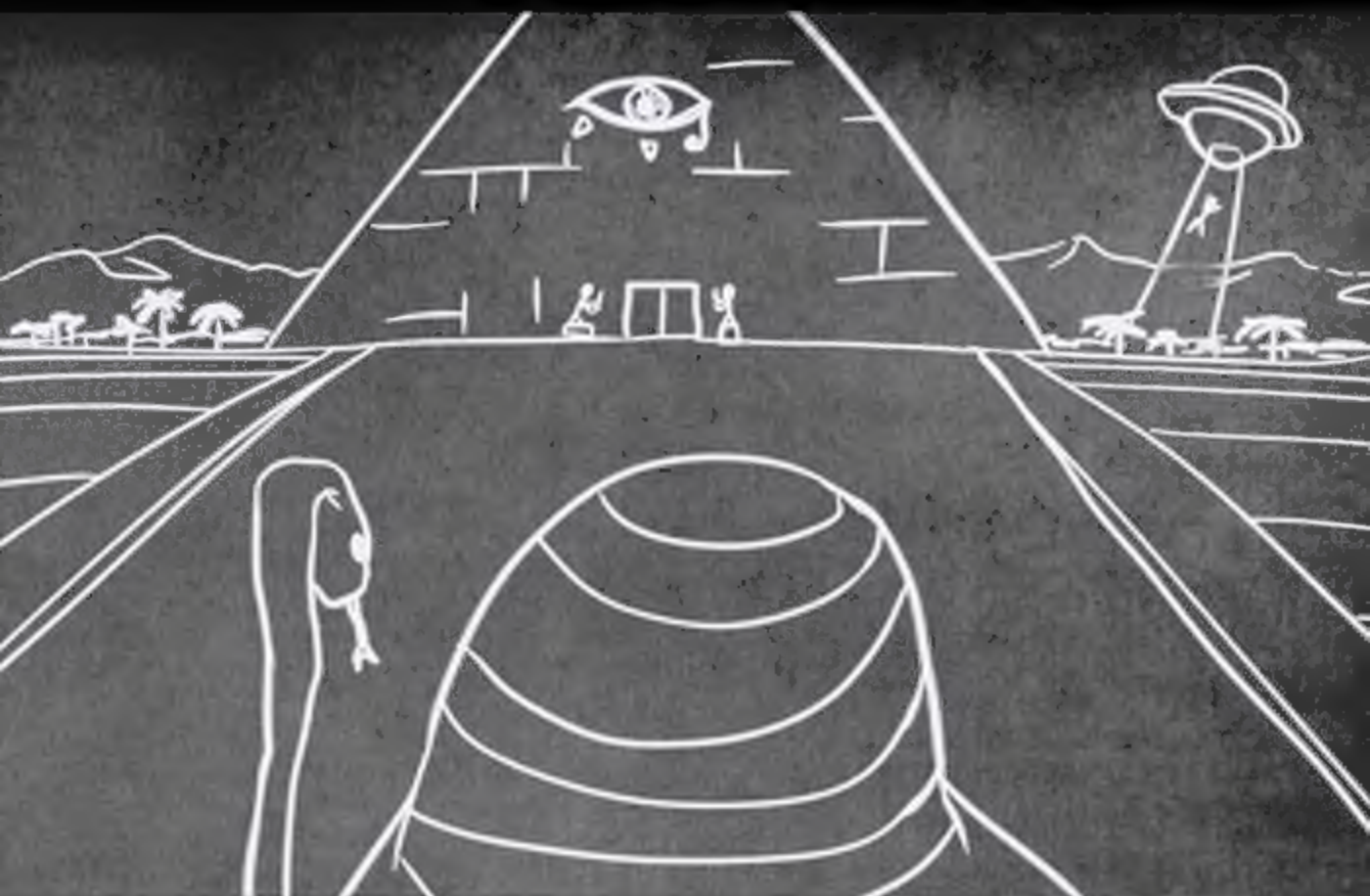
I AM A GOD! AT LEAST IN MY DREAMS.

EVERYTHING HAPPENS ACCORDING TO MY WILL.

IT'S A TIME WHEN I AM INTOXICATED
WITH INFINITE FREEDOM AND POWER.

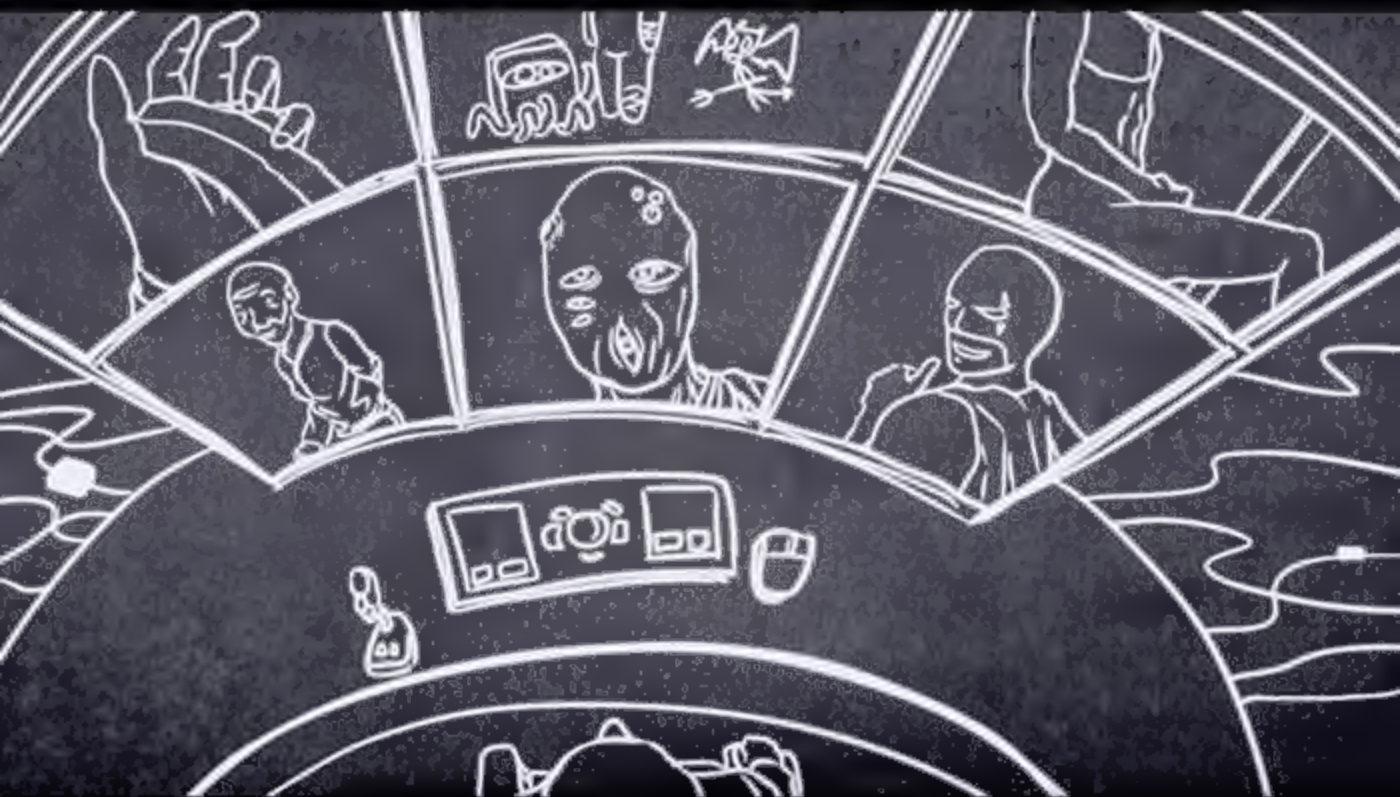


HOWEVER...
ALL OF THIS CONCENTRATING
ON MY SUBCONSCIOUS HAS MADE ME
CONSTANTLY TIRED EVEN WHEN I'M AWAKE.



〈DAY 6〉

AM I CONCENTRATING TOO HARD?



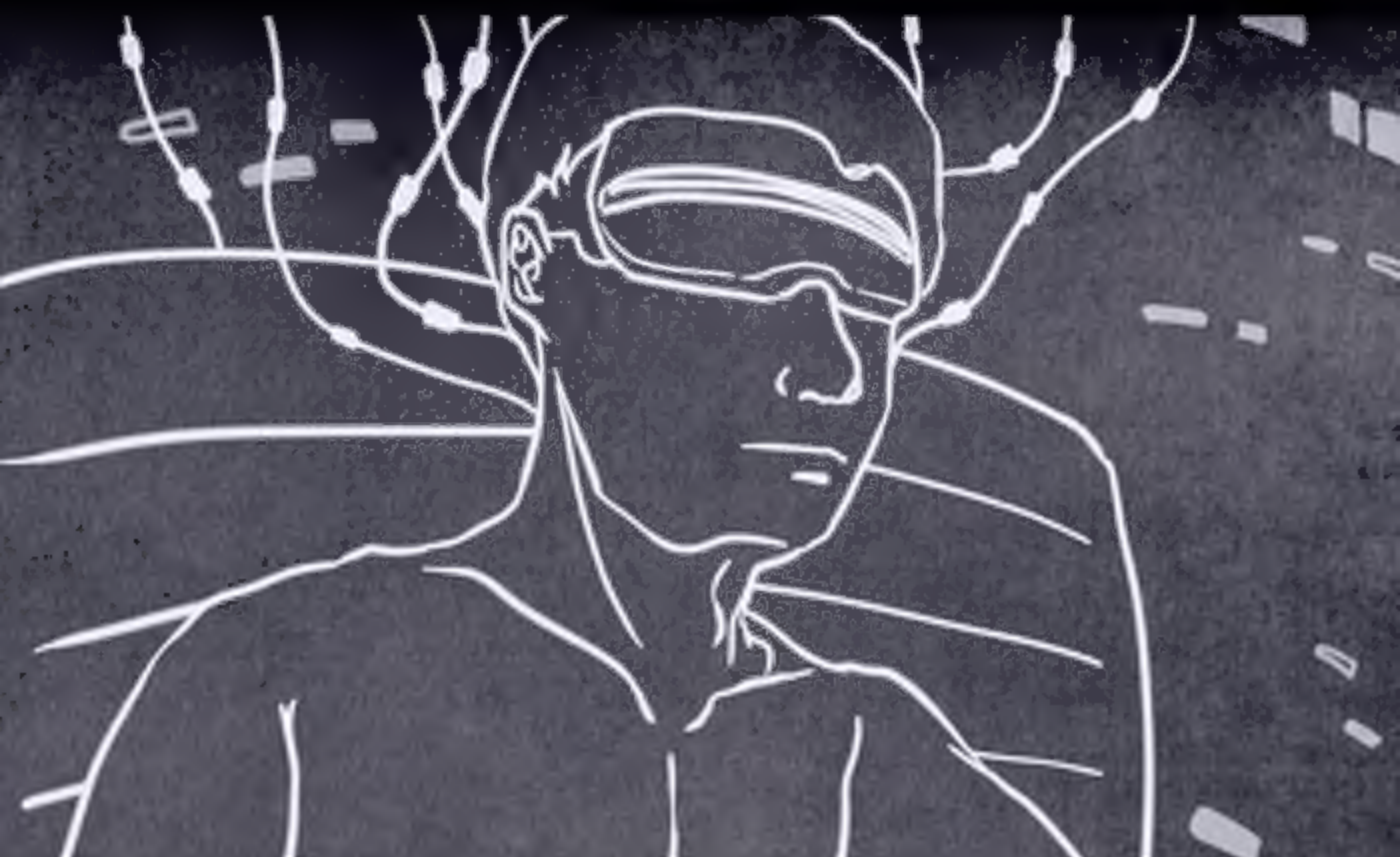
I FEEL LIKE THE DREAMS KEEP GETTING LONGER.

BESIDES,
THE DREAMS HAVE BEEN GETTING
MORE AND MORE VIVID LATELY.

MY HEAD FEELS SO HEAVY ALL DAY.

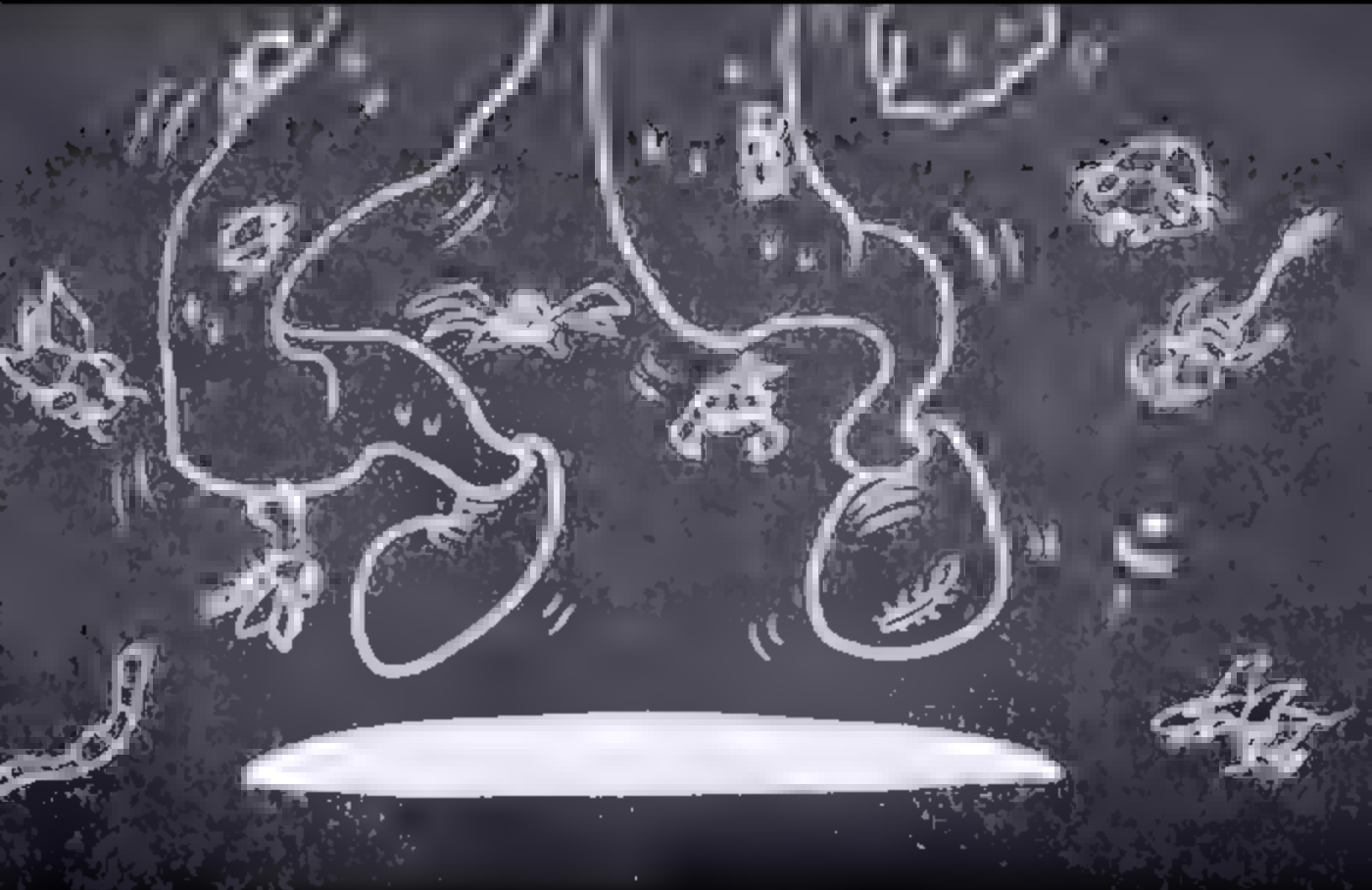


THIS MATCHES THE SIDE EFFECTS OF LUCID DREAMS
THAT I'VE HEARD ABOUT.



I SHOULD BE CAREFUL.

〈DAY 9〉



I HAD A NIGHTMARE.
THE LONGER I'M IN THE DREAMS,
THE LESS CONTROL I HAVE OVER THEM.

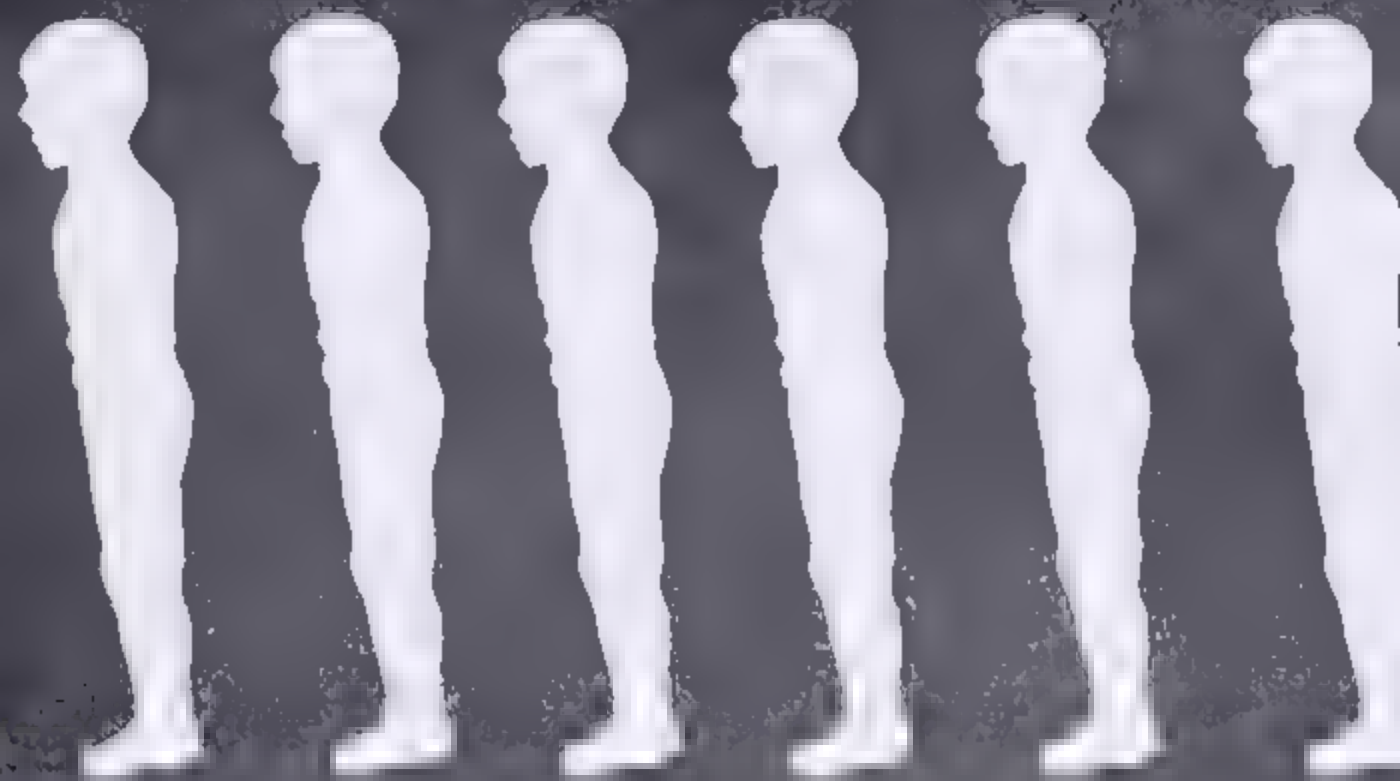


THE NIGHTMARES ARE SO INCREDIBLY VIVID
THAT IT'S DIFFICULT TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN
THE DREAMS AND REALITY.

《DAY 1》

I HAVE TO SLEEP LESS.

THE TIME I SPEND IN DREAMS IS
GETTING LONGER AND LONGER.

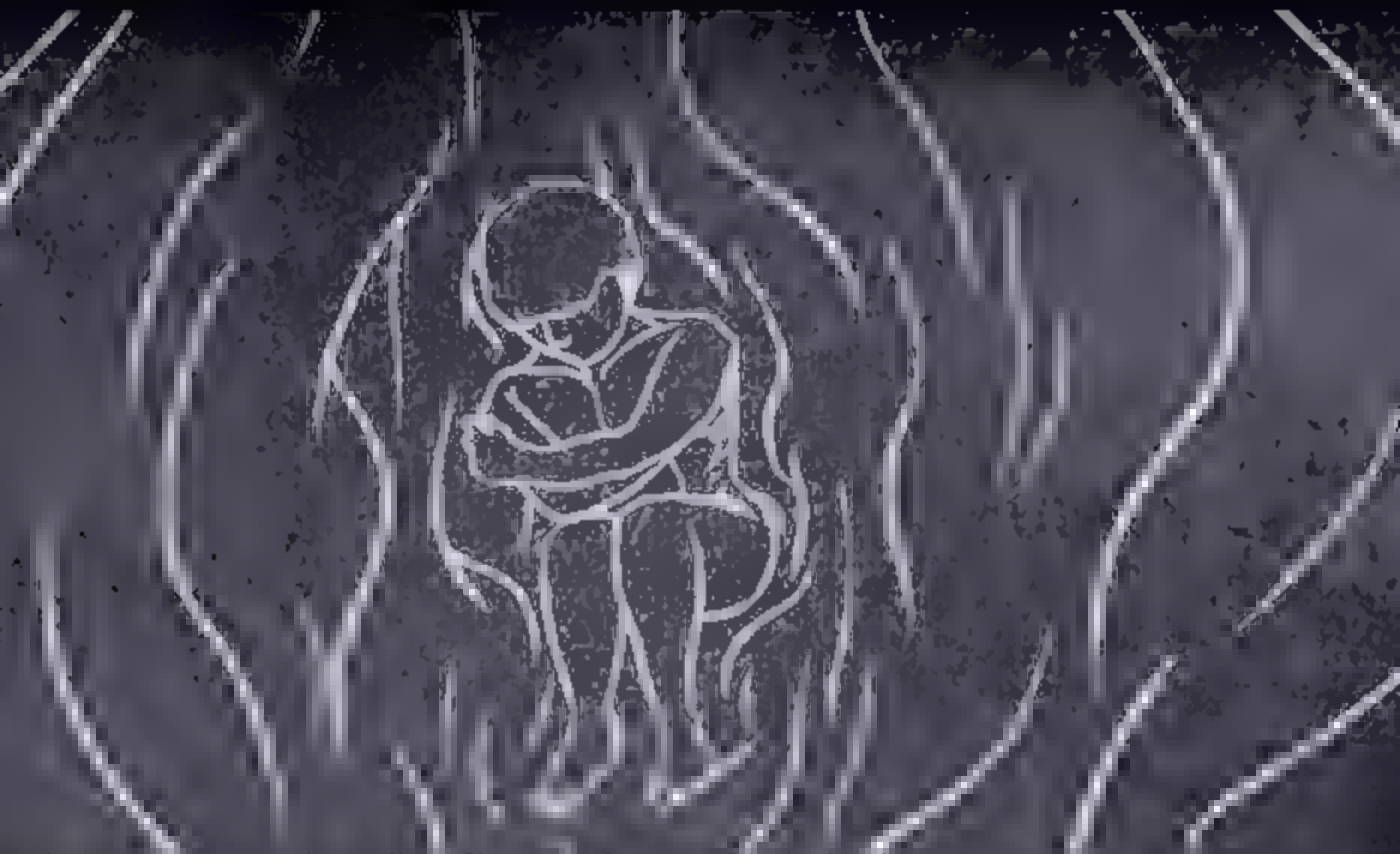


MY SUBCONSCIOUS CONTINUES
TO BE CONSCIOUS EVEN DURING SLEEP.

I FEEL SO DAZED ALL DAY
EVEN AFTER RETURNING TO REALITY.



EACH DAY FEELS LIKE I'M FLOATING IN
DARK AND MURKY WATER.



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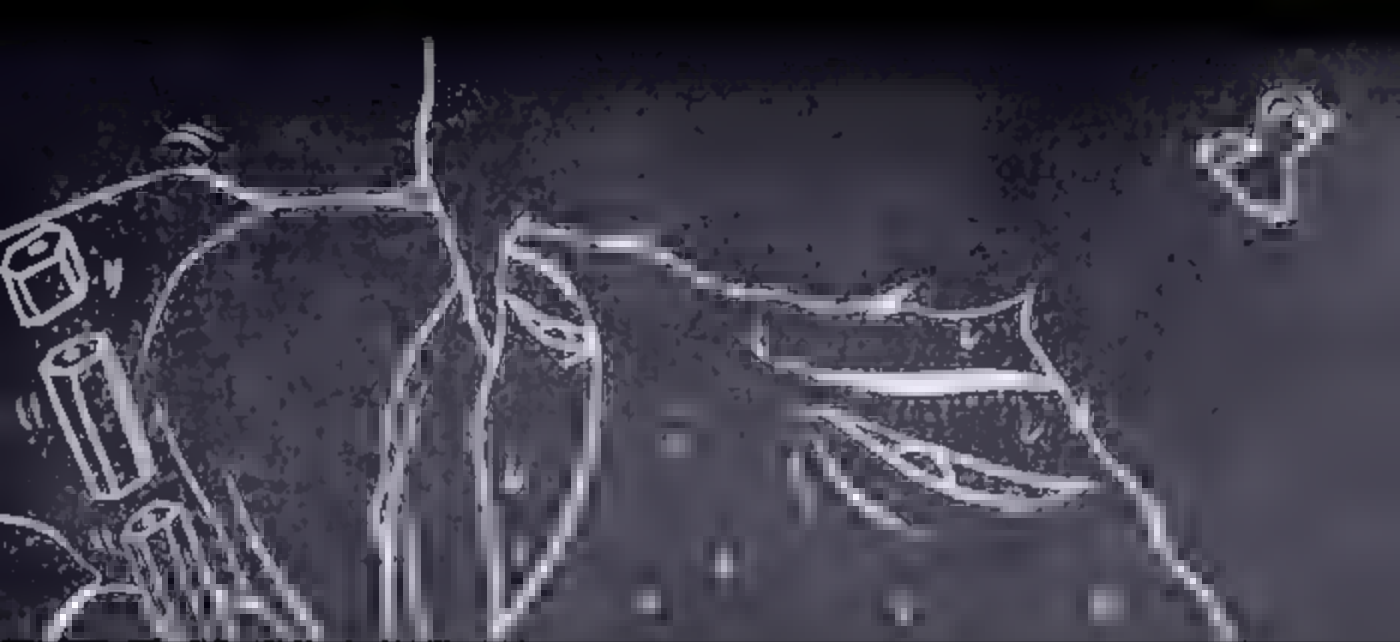
I WANT TO SLEEP.

《DAY 15》

I HAVE TO SEND A WARNING TO "MYSELF."



I REMEMBER MY BODY DOING THE SAME IN REALITY
WHEN I SCRATCHED MYSELF IN MY DREAM.



PLEASE TAKE NOTICE OF THE TERRIBLE THINGS
HAPPENING IN "OUR" DREAM.

(DAY 1)

I'VE HEARD THAT EVEN WHEN YOU THINK
THAT YOU HAVE A VERY LONG DREAM,

IT'S REALLY ONLY A FEW SECONDS LONG IN REALITY.



MY BRAIN CHARGES FORWARD ALL NIGHT.

**MY SUBCONSCIOUS FINDS NO REST
AND IS ENDLESSLY AGITATED.**



I WAS AN IDIOT FOR TRYING
TO CONTROL MY DREAMS.

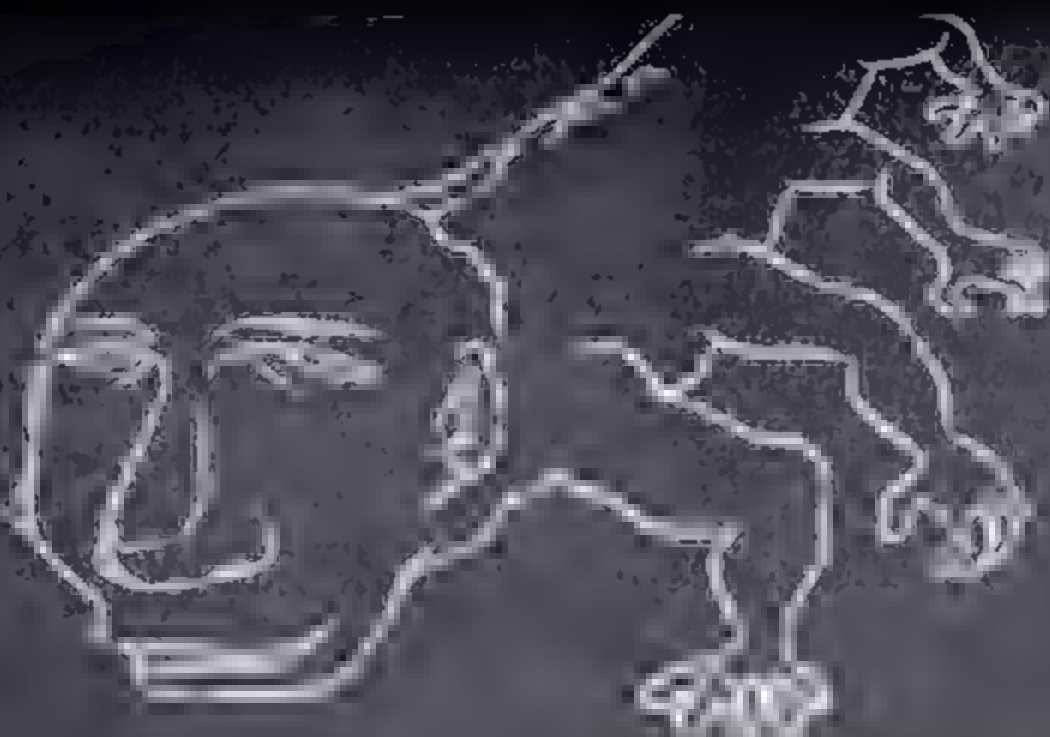


BECAUSE NO MATTER HOW MUCH TIME
I SPEND IN MY DREAMS,

MY CONSCIOUS CAN'T EVEN REMEMBER
MOST OF THEM ANYWAY ONCE I WAKE UP.

《DAY 20》

**SENSING DANGER,
MY BRAIN INSTINCTIVELY
STARTED REDUCING MY SLEEP.
BUT AS A SIDE EFFECT...**



**IT HURTS, WHEN I'M AWAKE,
WHEN I'M ASLEEP, CONSTANTLY.**

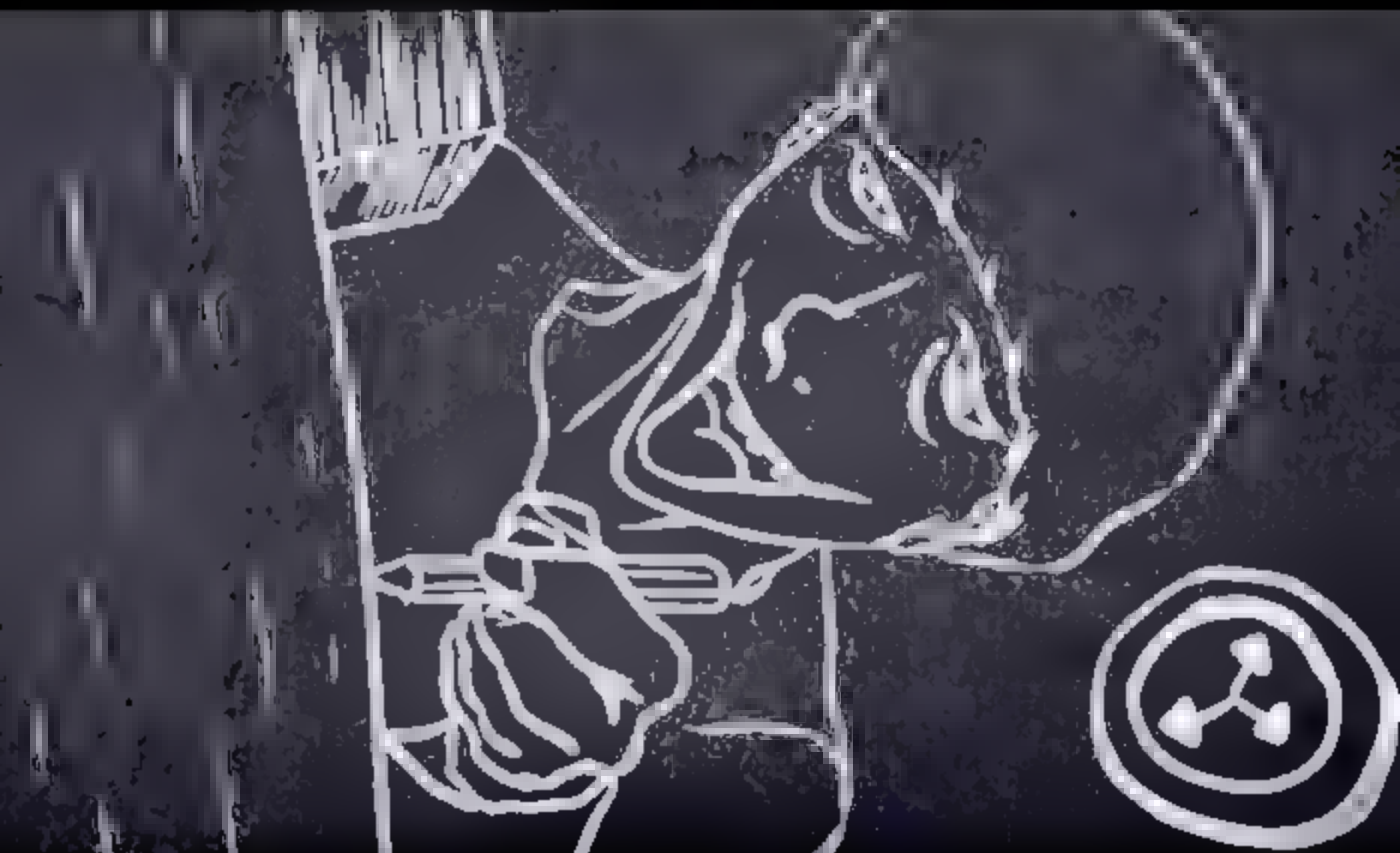


IT HURTS.



(DAY 22)

I AM SENDING MY FINAL MESSAGE TO MYSELF.



I JUST WANT TO END IT ALL NOW.

TO MYSELF: I TAKE UP MY PEN IN MY DREAMS IN THE HOPE THAT THIS NOTE
WILL REMAIN WITH US. YOU MAY NOT REMEMBER ANYTHING AFTER YOU WAKE
UP, BUT OUR BRAIN IS STRAINING ITSELF AS A SIDE EFFECT OF LUCID DREAMS.
A HEALTHY BRAIN SPENDS MOST OF ITS TIME DURING SLEEP ERASING SURPLUS
MEMORIES OR RESTING OVERHEATED STORAGE SPACES, BUT FOR SOME REASON
OUR BRAIN HAS FORGOTTEN TO REST. I DON'T KNOW THE EXACT TIMES
BUT A NORMAL PERSON SHOULD ONLY SPEND A FEW SECONDS TO A FEW
MINUTES DREAMING. OUR BRAIN, HOWEVER, HAS SPENT 10 HOURS
DREAMING. I AM SURE YOU WILL REMEMBER THE TIME SPENT IN DREAMS.

**I WRITE TO MYSELF A LONG LETTER OVER TIME,
PUTTING ALL MY EFFORTS IN IT.**

PLEASE MAY THIS MESSAGE STAY WITH ME

**EVEN IF I CANNOT REMEMBER THE TIME
SPENT IN DREAMS.**

THE SENSE OF TIME IN REALITY AND IN DREAMS ARE COMPLETELY DIFFERENT.
DREAMING ALL NIGHT IS LIKE HAVING A DREAM WHICH LASTS COUNTLESS MONTHS,
YEARS AND DECADES. YOU MAY ONLY BE CLOSING YOUR EYES FOR A SHORT TIME,
BUT IT FEELS UNIMAGINABLY, HORRIFICALLY LONG. AT THE MOMENT
I HAVEN'T THOUGHT OF A WAY TO STOP THIS RELENTLESS OVERDRIVE,
BUT I'M BEGGING YOU, PLEASE TRY TO SLEEP AS LITTLE AS POSSIBLE FOR NOW.
HELP YOUR BRAIN REST BY TAKING BREAKS AND MEDITATING RATHER THAN
SLEEPING. YOUR BRAIN MAY BE OUT OF CONTROL NOW,
BUT MY HOPE IS THAT MEDITATION WILL STABILIZE YOUR BRAIN AND
LET YOU LIVE YOUR LIFE IN A MORE RELAXED AND

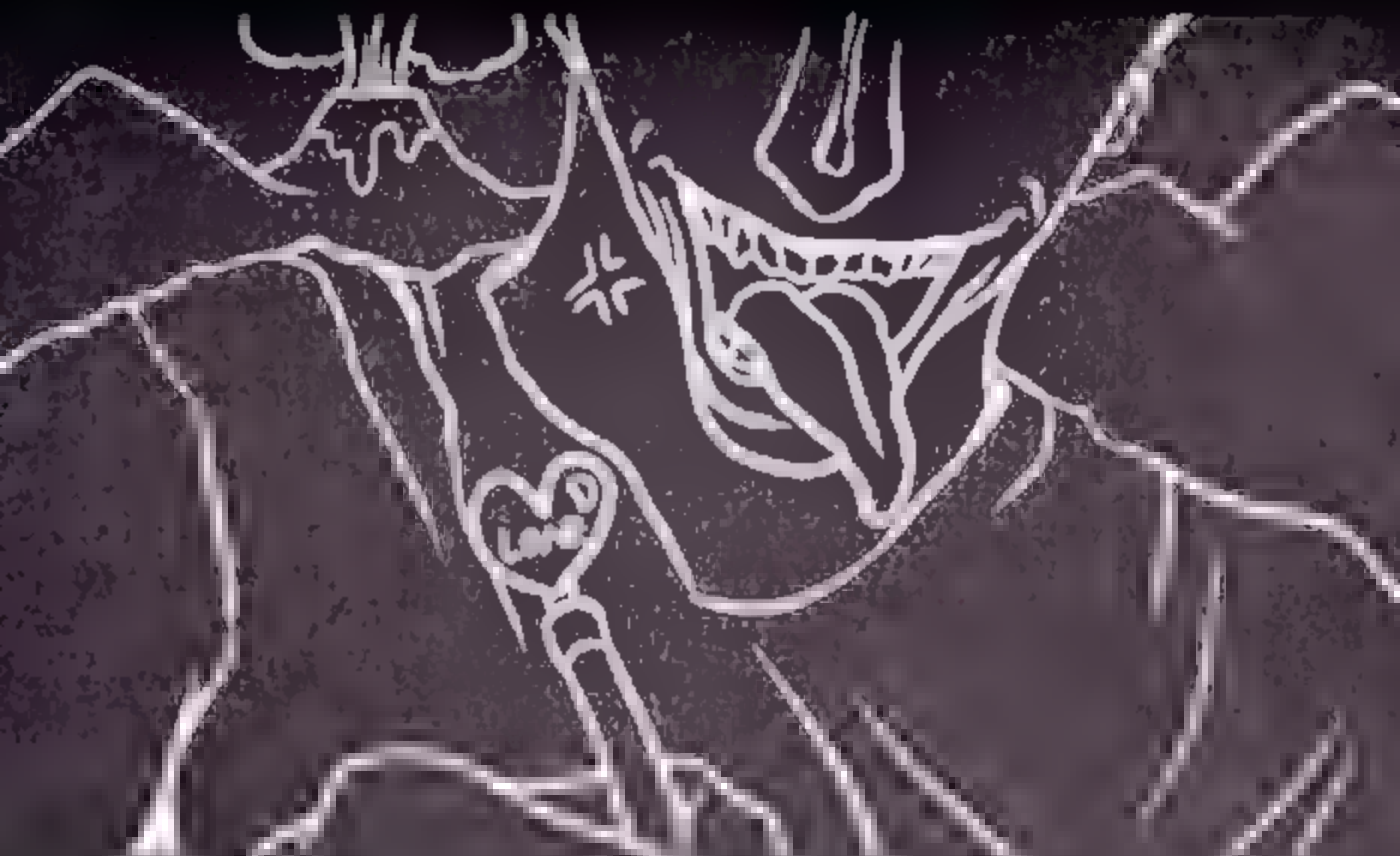
PLEASE TRY TO UNDERSTAND
THIS WORLD MARRED WITH PAIN
ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE CONSCIOUSNESS.

PLEASE FIGURE OUT A WAY
TO SET MY SUBCONSCIOUS FREE.

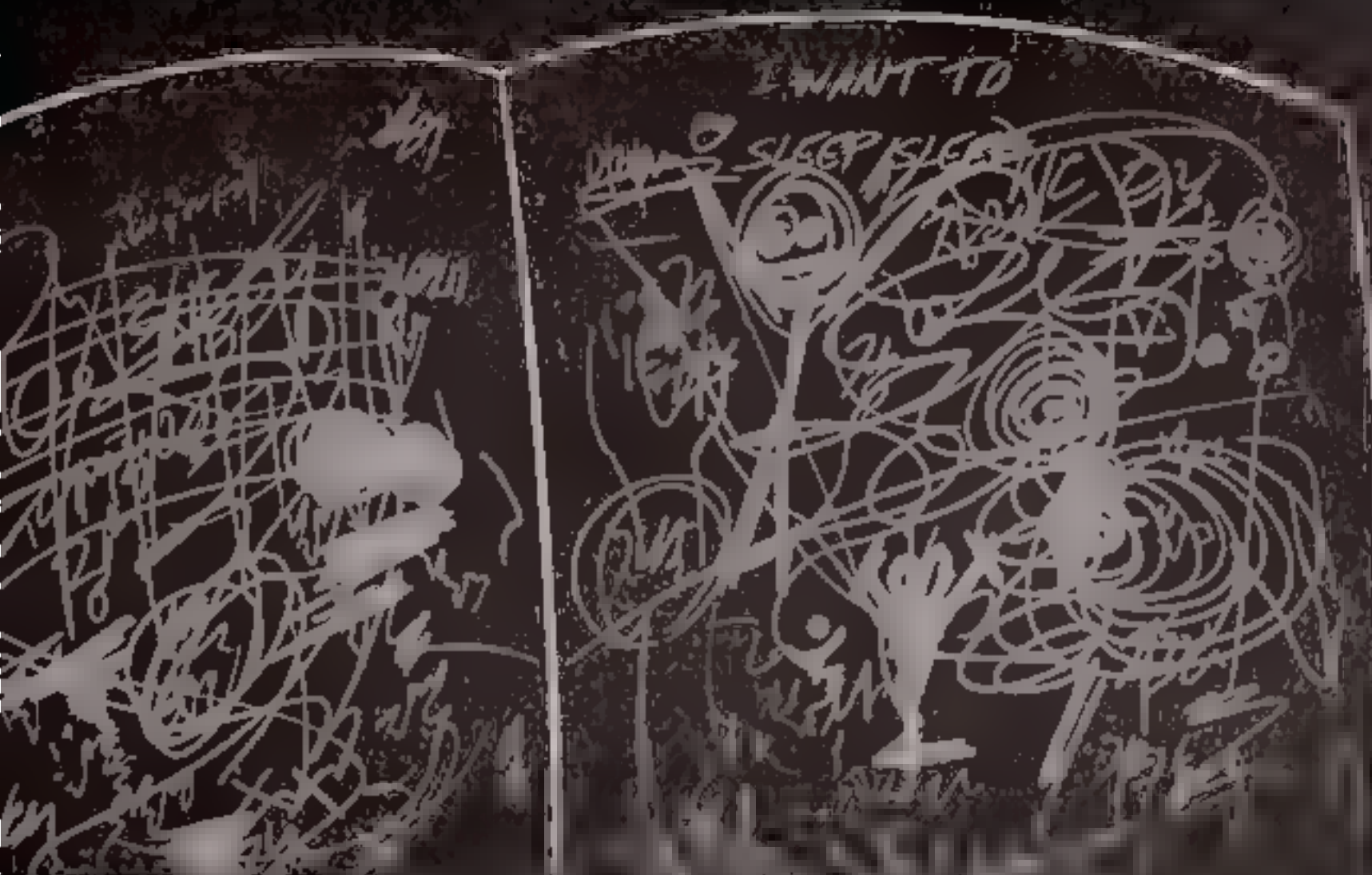
MY HOPE IS THAT MEDITATION WILL STABILIZE YOUR BRAIN AND
MAYBE EVEN CURE YOU. TRY TO AVOID GETTING ANY
PRESCRIPTIONS FOR SLEEPING PILLS OR TRANQUILIZERS.
THERE'S NO WAY OF PREDICTING WHAT KIND OF EFFECTS IT MAY
HAVE SO FOR NOW LET'S JUST TRY TO CALMLY THINK
OF A SOLUTION. YOU MAY NOT REALIZE IT BUT I'VE ALREADY
LEFT THIS SAME MESSAGE FOR YOU THOUSANDS OF TIMES.
I HOPE THAT MY EFFORTS WILL LET YOU HAVE YOUR SLEEP.

DAY 25

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(DAY 26)



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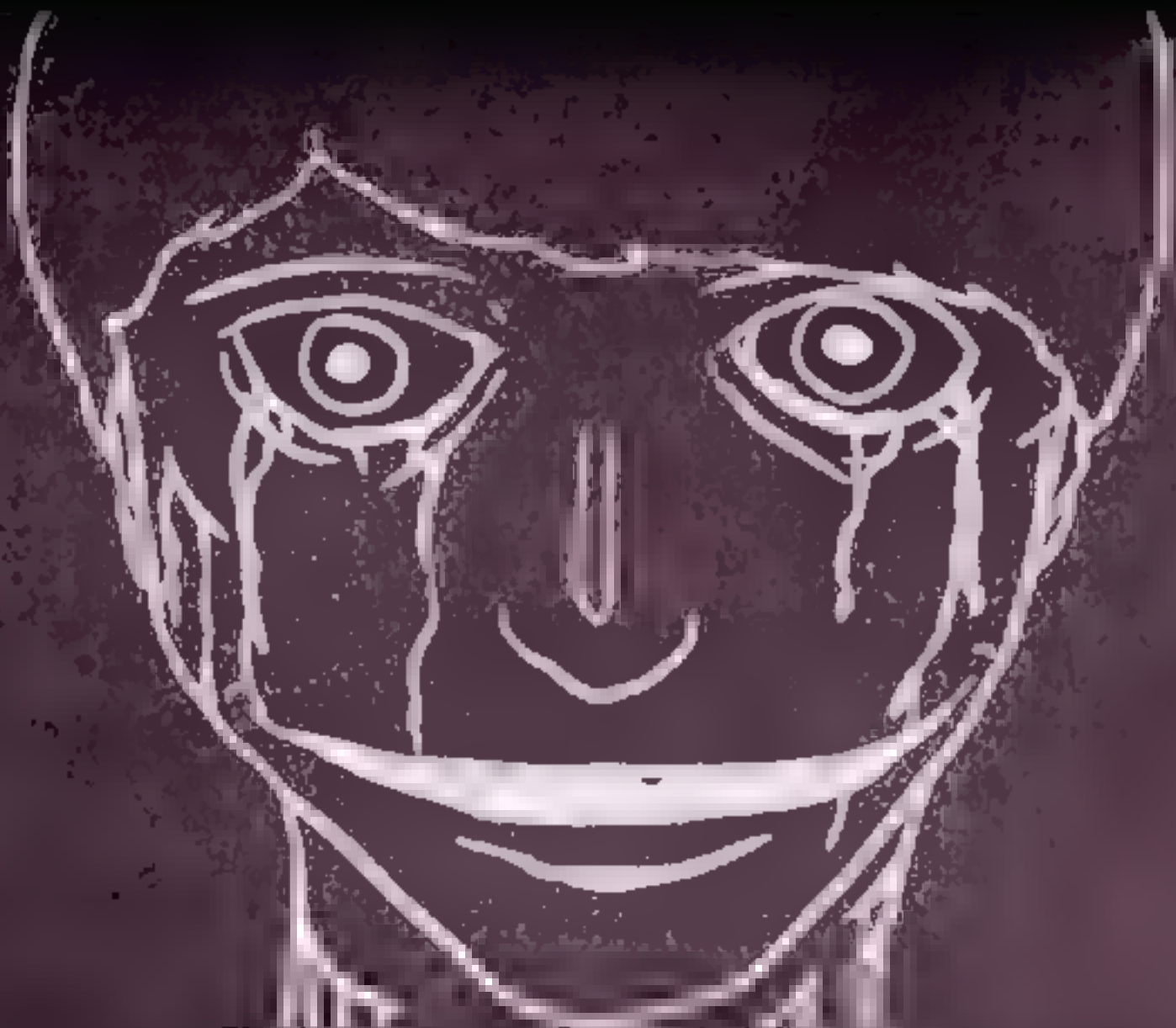
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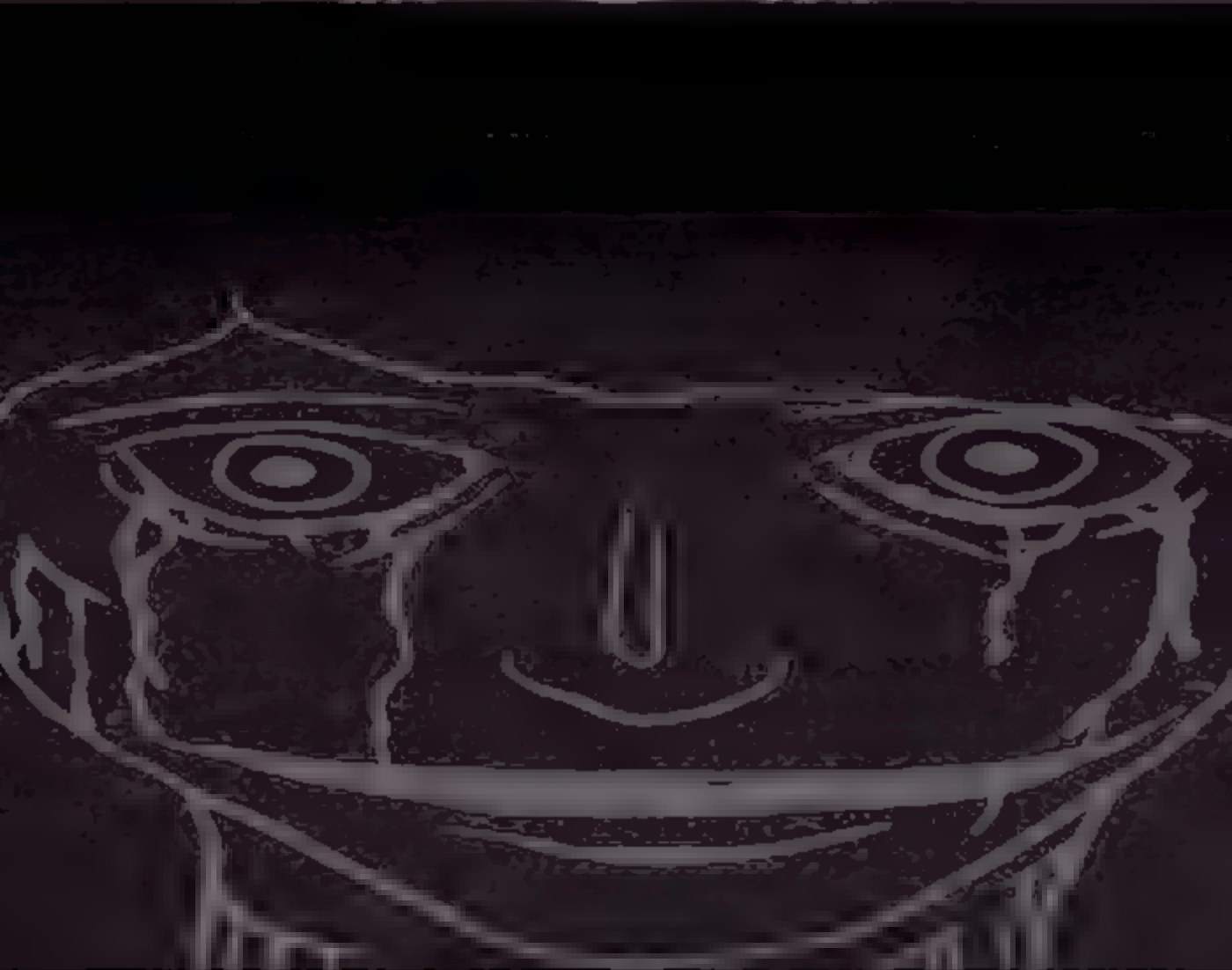
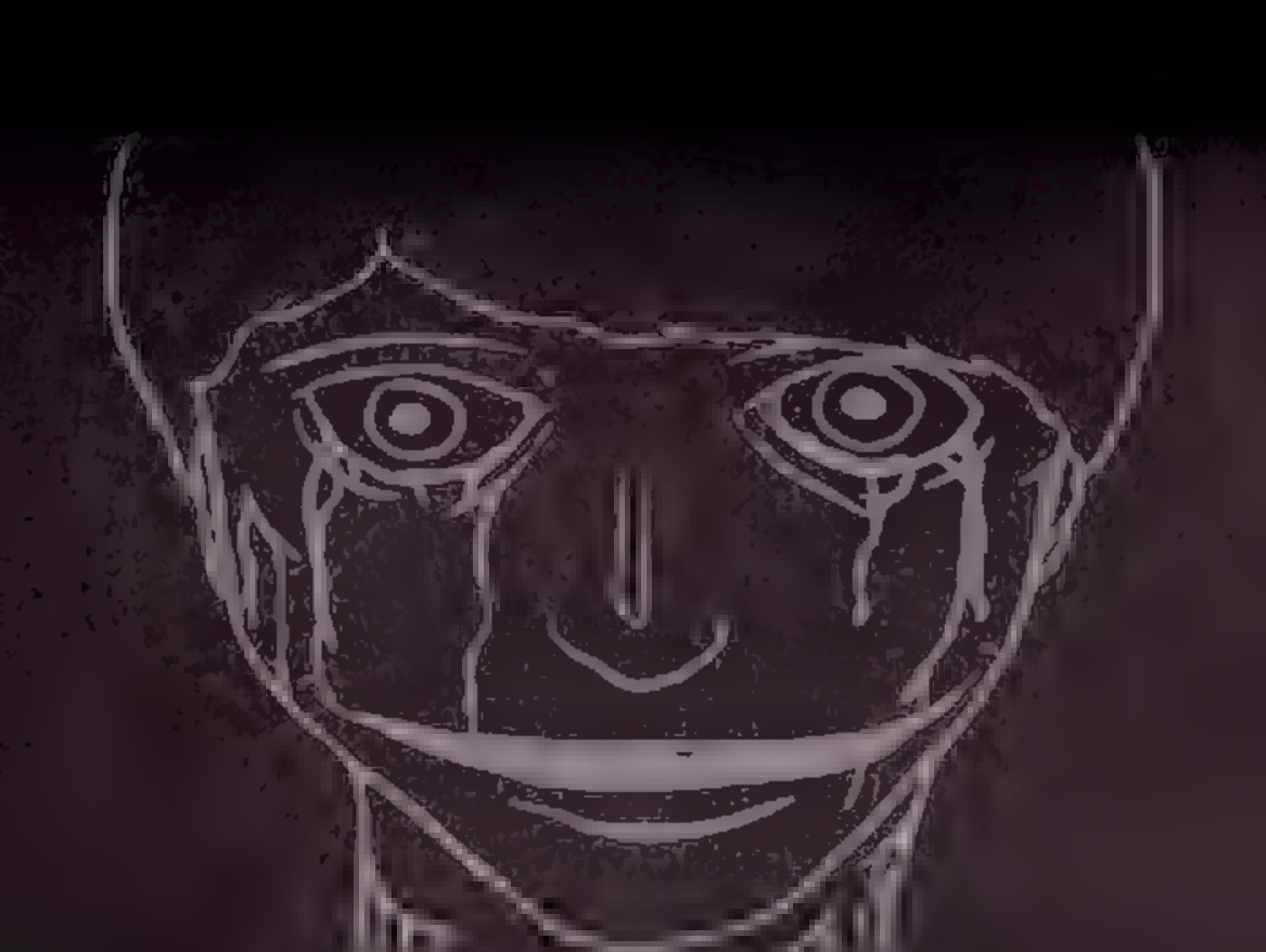
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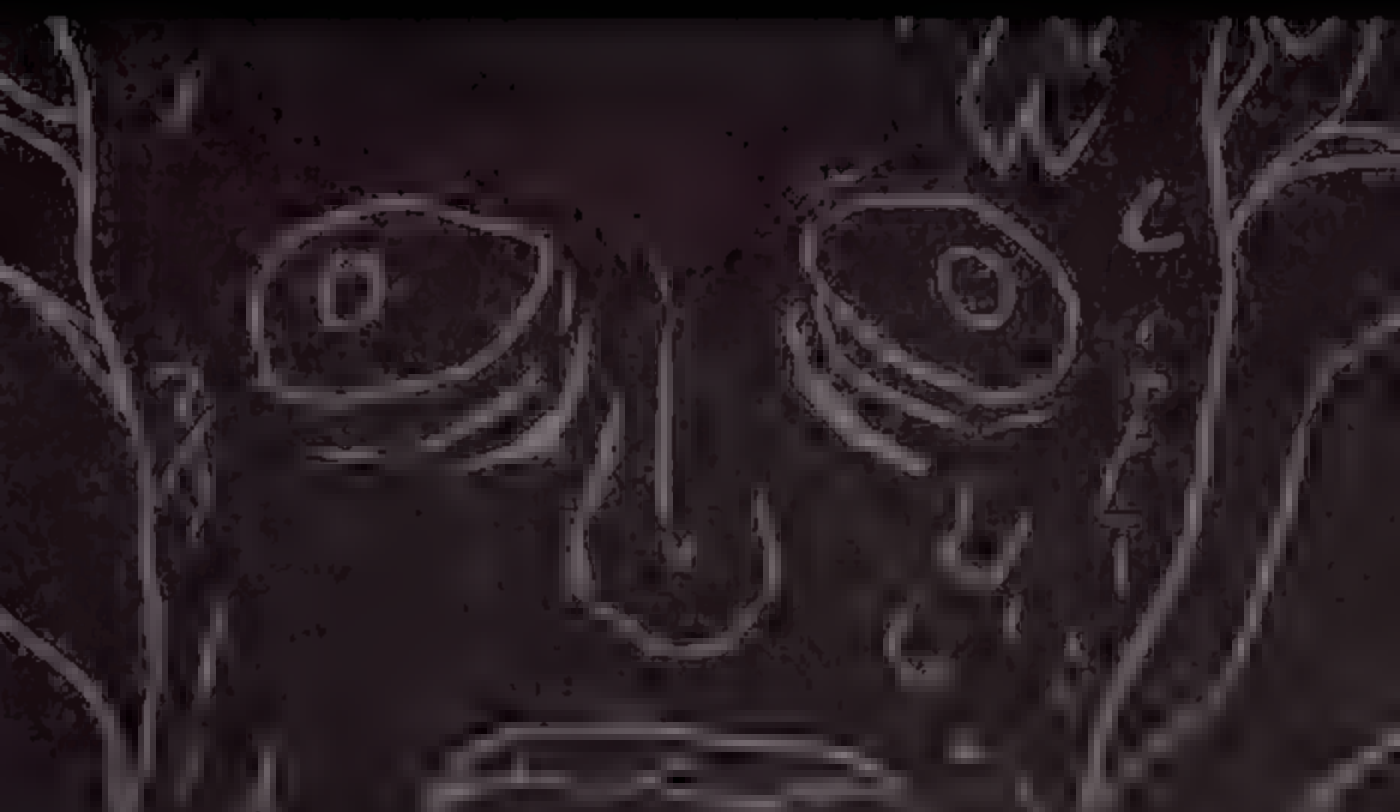
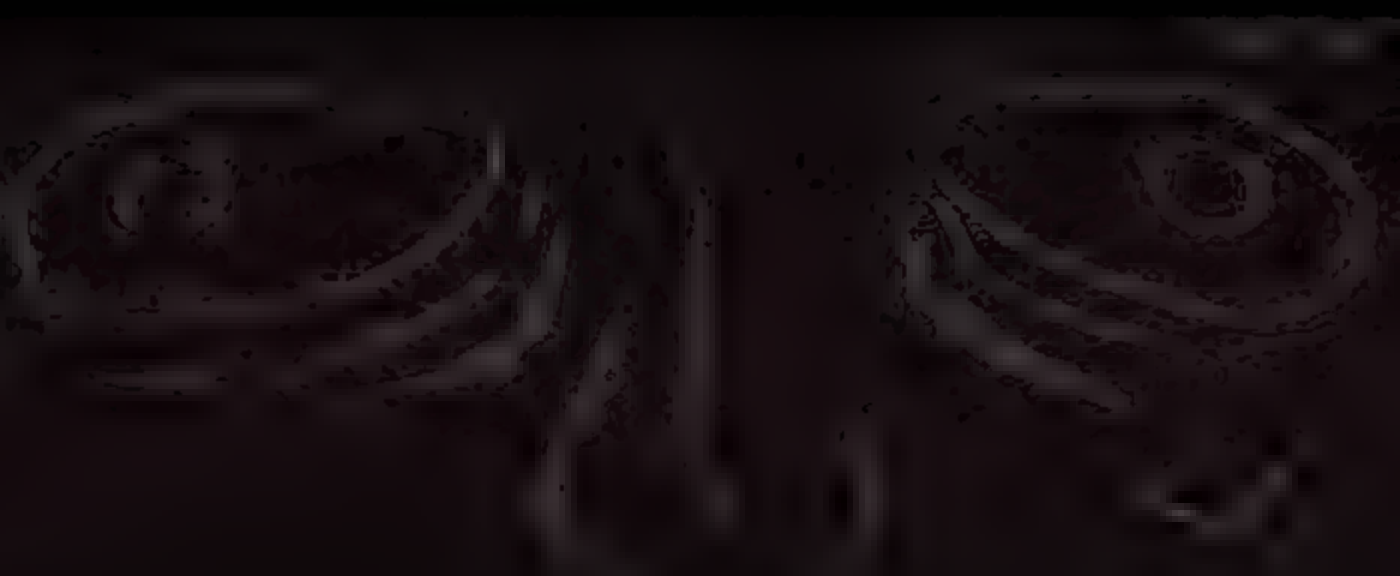
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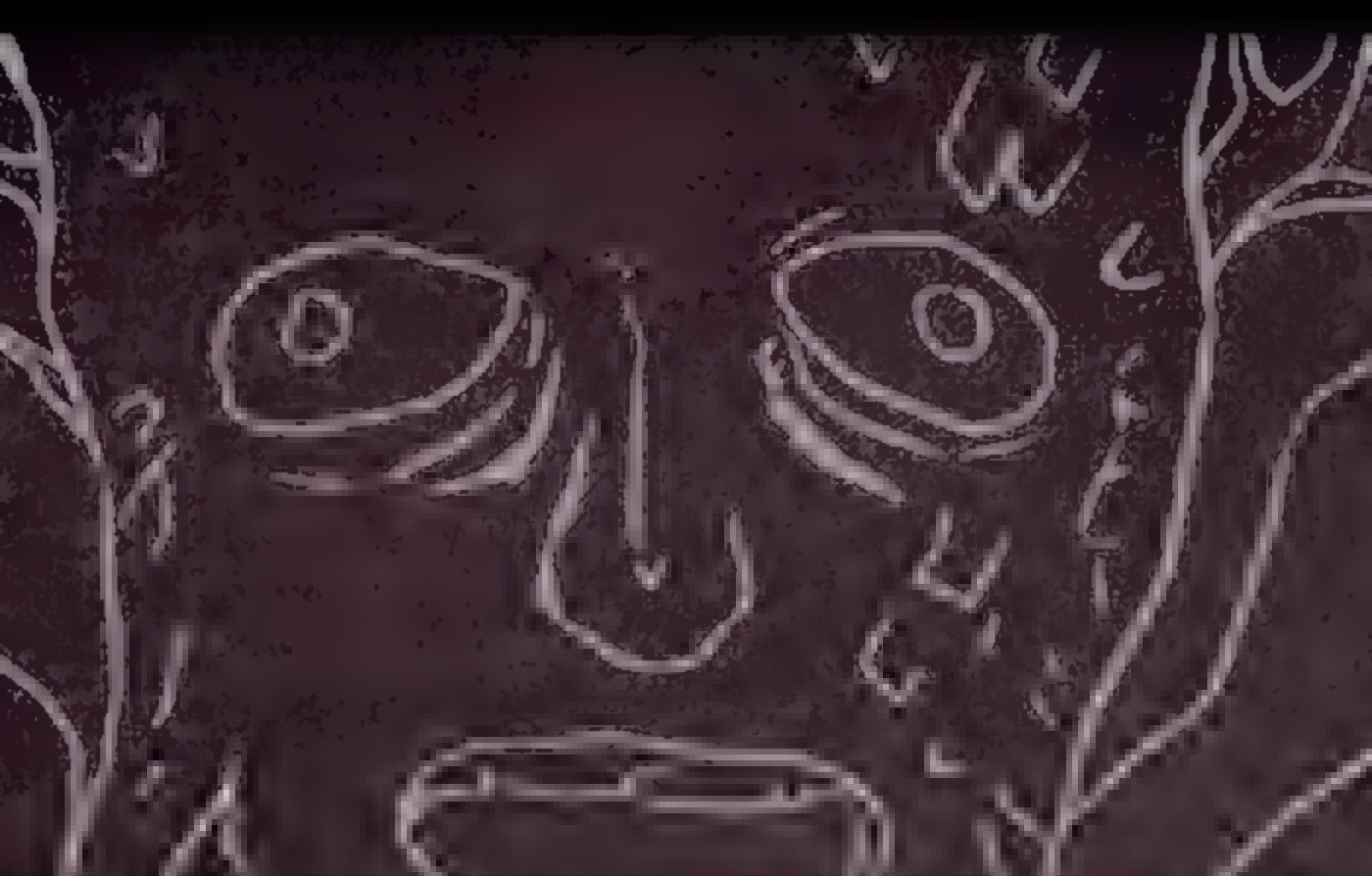
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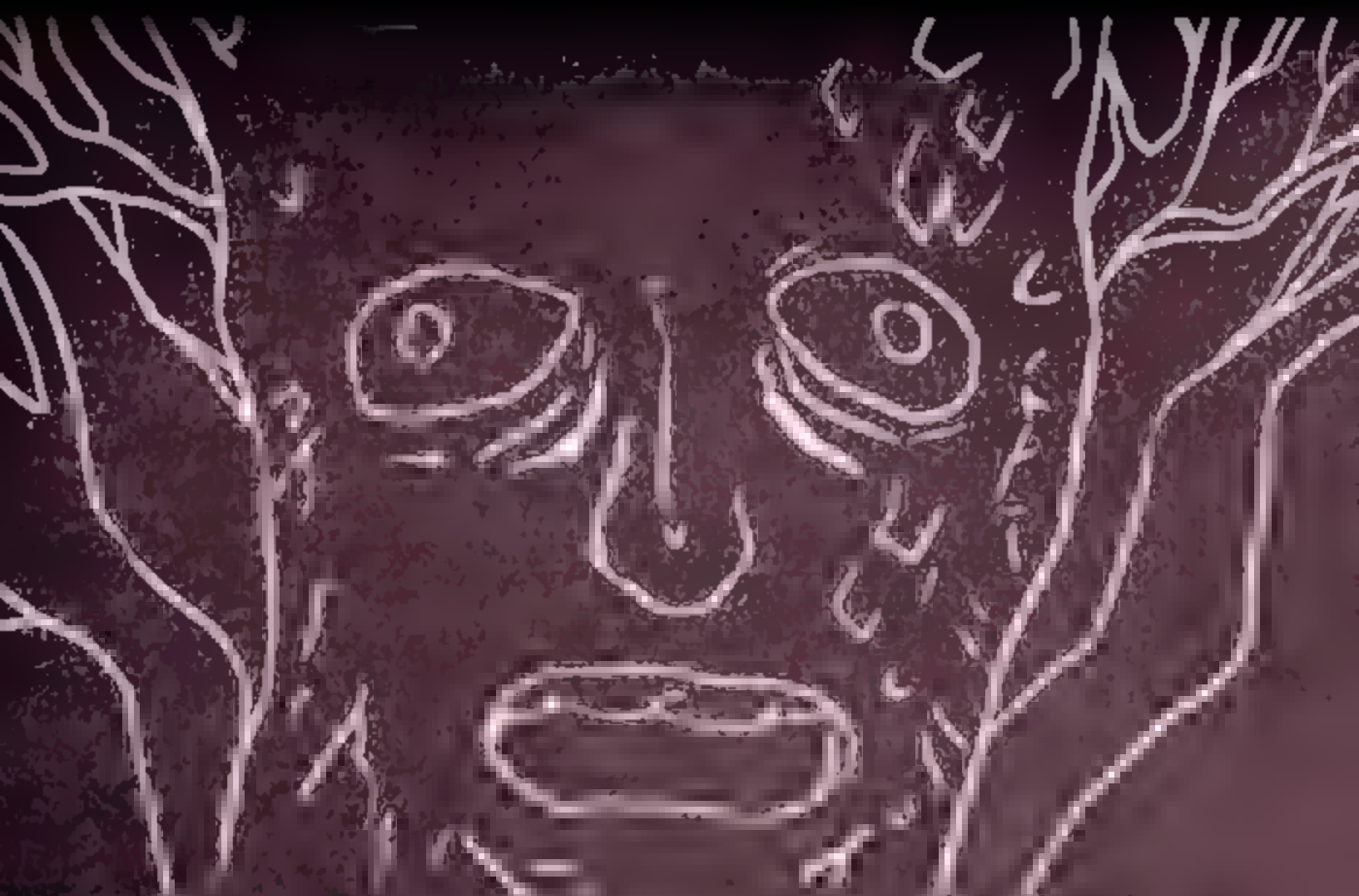


《DAY 30》





THE "SLEEPING PILLS" THAT I THOUGHT OF
UNCONSCIOUSLY STIMULATED MY CONSCIOUSNESS
AND THEN, WITH MY MIND AWOKEN,
I ENDED UP GETTING A PRESCRIPTION
FOR SLEEPING PILLS.



SINCE THERE'S NO WAY OF KNOWING
WHAT EFFECT THIS PRESCRIPTION WILL HAVE ON ME

AND WHETHER THE SLEEPING PILLS WILL
GET RID OF MY DREAMS OR AMPLIFY THEM,

THIS IS THE RESULT OF WARNING MYSELF
THOUSANDS, TENS OF THOUSANDS OF TIMES
TO STAY AWAY FROM THEM.

MY HOPE IS THAT MEDITATION WILL STABILIZE YOUR
DRAINWAGES AND PERHAPS EVEN GIVE YOU THE TO AVOID
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NOW



MY DREAMS, MY SUBCONSCIOUS,
MY NIGHTS, MY NIGHTMARES,
NEVER END.

NOT EVEN AFTER THIS 'CONCEPT' OF
HUNDREDS OF YEARS OF 'TIME' PASS.



EVERY DAY

IN THIS ETERNAL FLOW OF CONSCIOUSNESS

I AM BOTH LIVING AND DYING,

AND I AM BOTH

〈DAY 32〉

LUCID DREAMS.

IT'S AMAZING CONTROLLING YOUR OWN DREAMS.



BEHOLD, HAVE I NOT REACHED INFINITY
WITHIN MY SUBCONSCIOUS?



AND BEHOLD.
IS THE ME FROM TOMORROW



NOT HAPPIER THAT
HE DOES NOT REMEMBER A THING?

LUCID DREAMS_THE END

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